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MILLEN GARDENS
SHEYENNE, NO. DAK.



NORTHERN GROWN GLADIOLUS

PRICES ARE QUOTED FOR SPRING OF 1952 ONLY

Many thanks to all our customers for your orders and the many nice letters telling us about the nice Glads grown from our bulbs. Some of you have been steady customers for 10 to 15 years. We have the usual good young bulbs and a good stock of most varieties, however, stock of a few varieties is rather limited and will be sold out early. ORDER EARLY to be sure of getting varieties wanted. A second choice or permission to send same or better value of another size or variety is advisable if order is sent late in the season.

CASH WITH ORDER PLEASE. ALL ORDERS OF \$2.00 or over are sent postpaid.

Delivery will be made when safe from frost. Acknowledgment of orders is made by card, also a card is sent the day before bulbs are shipped to customers on rural routes.

The standard sizes and grading used in the bulb trade are as follows:-

LARGE bulbs are #1 and #2 (#1 is 1 1/2 in. and over in diameter) #2 is over 1 1/4

MEDIUM bulbs are #3 and #4 (#3 is 1 in. and over, #4 is 3/4 in. to 1 inch)

We ship all #3 bulbs for medium size so our medium bulbs will average much larger than most Growers ship as medium. A good medium size bulb will give as good bloom as a large bulb with almost all varieties and are much cheaper.

Medium bulbs are ordered by most of our old customers. Our own planting is almost entirely #5 (1/2 in. to 3/4 in. and #6 which is under 1/2 inch, and bulblets

5 BULBS MAY BE ORDERED AT 1/2 THE PRICE QUOTED FOR 10

INSPECTED AND LICENSED FOR SALE BY THE NORTH DAKOTA STATE NURSERY INSPECTOR.

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- ABU HASSAN:-This is the best low priced dark blue we have found. Medium size florets and nice spikes. Large bulbs-10 for .65¢ Medium-10 for .45¢
- ANDRENA:-New. Phlox pink with large golden throat. Ruffled florets.L-1 for 1.35
- ATHLONE:-Beautiful large flesh color pastel.L-2 for .25¢ M-10 for .55¢
- BENJAMIN BRITTAN:-Good deep toned lavender or light purple.L-1 for .25¢
- BIRCH RED:-A very good smooth rich red, no markings.L-1 for .25¢ M-2 for .25¢
- BLACK OPAL:-Tall very deep red, nearly black. M-10 for .50¢
- BUENA VISTA:-Hugetall dark rose red, late bloomer.L-3 for .25¢ M-4 for .25¢
- BRIDAL ORCHID:-New pastel lavender opening about 10 large florets with 6 or more buds showing color. Looks good from one seasons trial. L-1 for .75¢
- BURMA:-Heavily ruffled deep dark red. Opens 8 to 10 large beautiful florets on medium height spikes. This can be wonderful.L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
- CORALEEN:-Large slightly ruffled coral. L-2 for .25¢ M-3 for .25¢
- DAISY MAE:-Large orange pink, cherry red blotch.L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
- DESTINY:-Very large tall red, small white line on lower petal. This is one of the best reds we raise for cut flower sales. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
- DOLLY VARDEN:-New very large salmon with cream throat. Opens about 10 florets at once. Straight and one of the better new ones.L-1 for .90¢ M-1 for .65¢
- DOROTHY ARMSTRONG:-A very nice medium purple which blooms early and makes nice straight spikes. L-5 for .60¢ M-5 for .45¢
- ELIZABETH THE QUEEN:-Most beautiful of the light lavenders. 8 to 10 large ruffled slightly needle point florets on 18 bud spikes.L-10 for .65¢ M-10/.45¢
- EVANGELINE:-Extra large and tall light rose pink with creamy throat. Strong grower. 8 to 10 beautiful ruffled florets on 10 bud stem. Bottom floret sometimes misplaced. Heavy Show winner. L-1 for .55¢ M-1 for .25¢
- FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE:-Fine glistening white, considered the best all round white on the market. Large florets and tall spikes. A few days later than Snow Princess which is very early. L-2 for .25¢ M-10 for .75¢
- GOLDEN ARROW:-Good size excellent clear light yellow.L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
- GOLDEN STATE:-Large clear deep yellow. Golden. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
- GREEN LIGHT:-Beautiful creamy white overlaid with a greenish gloss or sheen. Not many Growers have this as it makes few bulblets to increase stock. One of our best cut flower and bulb sellers for years.L-10 for .90¢ M-10 for .65¢
- JO WAGENAAR:-Good new brilliant red, white line. L-1 for .25¢ M-1 for .15¢
- J.V. KONYNENBURG:-A large orange scarlet. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
- KAREN MARIE:-New white blending to a cream and yellow throat. 6 or 7 large florets on straight spikes. Heat resistant. L-1 for 1.75
- KESTRAL:-Light salmon orange bordered deeper orange. L-5 for .35¢
- KING CLICK:-One of the better tall large scarlets. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
- LAVENDER LACE:-Nice somewhat ruffled light lavender with creamy throat. Medium height plant. Appears good from one seasons trial.L-1 for .45¢

MAUVIE ROSE:-Another new one. Deep rose on edge shading lighter to throat with deeper lavender throat blotch. L-1 for .30¢ M-1 for .20¢
 MISS WISCONSIN:-Lovely lavender rose, about the best in this shade. Nothing else like it. Opens 6 to 8 or more large florets. L-10 for .70¢ M-10 for .50¢
 NEW ERA:-Beautiful medium size very ruffled and frilled apple blossom pink. A fine cut flower for Florist or home use. Scarce. M-10 for .65¢
 OCTOBER SUNSHINE:-Light orange shading to light yellow throat. Not quite as large as Orange Gold but longer flower heads. M-10 for .75¢
 ORANGE GOLD:-Tall clear golden orange, about same shade as Bit of Heaven but much larger. Opens 5 or 6 huge florets. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
 ORIENTAL PEARL:-Very large and tall light cream. Have had florets 7 inches in diameter. Always straight spikes. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
 PACTOLUS:-Apricot cream with a prominent orange red blotch. If you like the unusual this is it. Shows up in the garden. L-2 for .25¢ M-3 for .25¢
 PARTHENA:-Large deep mauve lavender, ruffled and fluted. Strong grower and produces magnificent spikes with 8 to 10 or more open at once. Straight and some of the best spikes we grew last season. L-1 for .25¢ M-1 for .15¢
 PFITZERS CENTURY:-Tall light scarlet of heavy texture. L-1 for .20¢
 PHANTOM BEAUTY:-Large light shell pink with up to a dozen or more open at once. Never crooks but florets are a little crowded on stem. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
 PICARDY:-Large shrimp pink which has been popular. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
 PINK CHARM:-Large deep pink with darker throat. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
 PURPLE SUPREME:-Large very tall purple. About the best low priced purple. Opens up to 10 florets on straight spike. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
 RAVEL:-A fine dark blue slightly lighter than Abu Hassan. Nice straight spikes L-5 for .45¢ M-10 for .60¢
 RED GIANT:-Very good large red, silver line. Stock limited. L-2 for .25¢
 ROSA VAN LIMA:-Early clean light rose pink, faint lines in throat. One of the best cut flowers, much in demand by florists. L-10 for .65¢ M-10 for .45¢
 ROSE O'DAY:-Early rose-lavender, always straight spikes. M-10 for .45¢
 SNOW PRINCESS:-Best of all low priced whites. Better than many new high priced ones. Large florets on good spikes. All sizes bloom. L-10/.65¢ M-10/.45¢
 SPIC AND SPAN:-Tall ruffled deep pink, about as near perfect as a Glad can be. Opens up to 10 florets with 5 or 6 buds showing color. Straight grower right down the rows and a wonderful Florist flower. L-10 for .70¢ M-10 for .50¢
 SPOTLIGHT:-Very good large deep yellow, scarlet blotch. L-10/.65¢ M-10/.45¢
 STOPLIGHT:-Good large tall red. Do not confuse with above YELLOW. L-10/.65¢ M-10/.45¢
 SUNSPOT:-Light apricot buff, rose spot in throat. L-1 for .15¢ M-3 for .25¢
 TIVOLI:-Soft rose pink with lighter throat. Has good color, large florets and nice spikes. A good cut flower. L-10 for .70¢ M-10 for .50¢
 WAYFARER:-New light pink blending to creamy throat. L-1 for .35¢
 YANGTZE:-Nice medium size deep yellow. Stock limited. M-3 for .25¢

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 An up to date Culture sheet is sent with all orders, also overcount and extras
 5 BULBS SOLD AT 1/2 THE PRICE OF 10

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 MIXED BULBS, NOT SEPARATELY LABELED. For those who do not care to keep varieties separate we put up the following mixed bulbs. As long as we can supply them there will be 25 or more good varieties in all colors in each lot, including some in the higher priced varieties in too short supply to include in our regular list. From our regular stock and would cost much more if labeled.
 100 LARGE BULBS for \$5.00 50 Large bulbs for \$2.60
 100 MEDIUM " " \$3.50 55 Medium " " \$2.00
 100 Large bulbs AND 100 MEDIUM BULBS for \$8.00
 100 #4 size (from 3/4 inch to 1 inch in diameter) \$2.75

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 Names of Glad growers who are not on our mailing list are appreciated.

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